

PUBLIC LEDGER

FIFTH YEAR.

MAYSVILLE, KY., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25, 1896.

ONE CENT.



HERE AND THERE

Colonel J. D. Bridges of Portsmouth was in the city Sunday.

Dr. J. W. Hilleary of Baltimore has returned home after a short visit in this city.

Mrs. George Schwartz and niece, Miss Mary Foster, have returned from Cincinnati.

Rev. W. H. Felix of Lexington is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Clift of Forest avenue.

Mr. John Power, who is attending school at Winchester, is spending a few days at his home near this city.

Mrs. G. C. Dobyns and daughters, Misses Nettie Cook and Jennie Douglas, have returned home from a lengthy visit to her sister Mrs. James Robinson of Florence, Ala.

Mrs. Lillie Holt of Saybrook, Ill., sister of the late Mrs. E. H. Connor of Flemingsburg, formerly Miss Lillie Ross of this city, is visiting Mrs. A. M. Bridges. She will return home Thursday.

Miss Emily Gedge of Covington will arrive in our city today at 1:30 and remain for several days. Miss Gedge will have samples of her beautiful embroidery to show those who call. To the ladies who wish lessons in all kinds of fancy needle work they can call tomorrow morning at 9:30 at the residence of Mr. Henry Barkley, West Third street.

Very Personal.—Postage on drop letters, whether sealed or not, is 2 cents. Many persons send their notices through the Postoffice with only 1 cent stamp. These are "held for postage." Hereafter they must contain a 2 cent stamp.

Charles T. Dawson has been appointed Deputy Constable for District No. 2.

Chenoweth's Cough Syrup is guaranteed to cure your cough or money refunded.

Constable Dawson has been confined to his bed for some two weeks with a complication of ailments.

Mr. Henry Tolle and Miss Mary McClelland, both of this city, were married at Manchester a few days since.

Mr. A. F. Orme, who recently moved from this city to Robertson county, has been seriously ill with typhoid fever.

If the hair is falling out and turning gray the glands of the skin need stimulating and color food, and the best remedy and stimulant is Hall's Hair Renewer.

J. D. Dye, R. A. Toup and S. B. Oldham have been appointed to set apart to Mrs. Wilhelmina Gunn property exempt to her by law.

William Cooley, who shot John Norris at Manchester Island, was Tuesday put under \$500 bond. Mr. Norris is in a serious condition.

The case of Rev. G. W. Seymour against Willis Young, for adultery, was on a second hearing before Squire Bramel, dismissed.

It is now believed that Judge G. M. Witten, who mysteriously disappeared from his home at Catlettsburg, was murdered. The City Council has offered a reward of \$50 for his body, dead or alive, and \$200 for his murderers in case he was killed.

Henry Jones, a prominent business man of Augusta, was a passenger on the steamer Courier, which arrived at Cincinnati Monday night. In trying to jump on the wharf Jones fell into the river. The night watchman of the wharfbank, with the assistance of several of the other passengers fished him out with a rope. He was sent to the hotel in a patrol wagon.

DeKalb Lodge last night enjoyed the presence of one of her original members, "Uncle" Dick Dawson. Mr. Dawson was initiated into DeKalb Lodge March 22d, 1842—just 54 years ago last Sunday. He has been an active member ever since, and is one of the three first initiates who still survive, the others being Mr. N. Cooper of this city and Mr. Theodore B. Brickel of Sedalia, Mo.

The Bourbon News is the last to come forward with that old chestnut, The Ulster County Gazette, printed in 1800, and containing an account of General Washington's funeral. Why, bless your soul, man, in 1876 the country was flooded with millions of fac similes of these "old papers," printed during the Centennial. If anyone has a copy of the original it's worth a cartload of silver dollars.

At Carthage, Campbell county, Tuesday evening, Miss Bertha Nelson McArthur, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur S. McArthur, was married to George Warren Fridman of New Richmond, O. The bride is one of the best known society ladies in Campbell county and the groom is a banker at New Richmond. The marriage took place at the M. E. Church and a reception followed at the bride's home. Mr. Fridman is a brother of Mrs. James A. Wallace of this city, and has numerous friends and acquaintances here.



NATURE'S ADVERTISEMENTS.
Everything in this wide, wide world Believes in advertising: When once you come to sum it up Results are most surprising.

In March the few warm days we have Proclaim the coming spring, And tell us we must bid farewell To grim old Winter's King.

A hen will cackle long and loud When from her nest she rises— The farmer's wife comes out and takes The thing she advertises.

The rattlesnake will first alarm, When it has been surprised; Then quickly you will get the bite— The thing it advertises.

The bumble bee before he stings Will warn you by his humming; 'Tis but the means that nature gives To advertise his coming.

The donkey, too, will bray aloud— This fact I merely mention To show that even humbler things Desire the world's attention.

—J. M. Paterson.

MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect For The Next Twenty-Four Hours.

THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.
White streamer—FAIR.
Blue—RAIN or SNOW.
With black above—TWO WARMER.
Green—GROW.
If black's beneath—COLDER it will be.
Unless black's shown—no chance we'll see.

The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening.

We respectfully invite the comparison of THE LEDGER with any other daily newspaper in all Northeastern Kentucky. If any one can find a daily paper printed in the Ninth Congressional District that has a larger circulation, or more original reading matter, we will take pleasure in presenting him with a year's subscription to THE LEDGER. And this paper is furnished at same price as inferior ones.

Mrs. Dr. Pangburn is convalescing after an illness of two weeks.

To dream of playing dice means that some one will shortly die and leave you money.

Mr. Campbell King, one of the county's old citizens, died Monday at his home near Stonelick. He was 83 years of age, and an uncle of Mr. H. M. King of this city. The funeral took place Tuesday afternoon at Stonelick Baptist Church, with services by Rev. Robert Tolle.

An Ohio couple appeared before the County Clerk of Lawrence County a few days ago and sought a marriage license. The bride was under 18. When asked by Deputy Ross if he had the girl's parents' consent, the prospective groom answered, "Well, her father told me to take her and go to hell with her." This may account for the presence of the parties in Ironton.

GONE WRONG.

Two Midway Bank Officers Considerably "Shy."

ONE VERY WELL KNOWN HERE.

William M. Shipp Cashier And C. W. Stone bookkeeper Of the Midway Deposit Bank Were requested a week ago to resign their positions.

Investigation develops that they are short between \$20,000 and \$30,000.

They do not deny the shortage, but make no explanation.

The defalcation covers a period of fifteen years.

Mr. Shipp has many friends in Maysville who will regret to hear of his wrongdoing.

Sick stomach means sick man (or woman.) Why not be well? Sick stomach comes from poor food, poor nourishment; means poor health, poor comfort. Shaker Digestive Cordial means health and a well stomach.

If we could examine our stomach we would understand why it is that so little will put it out of order.

But unless we are doctors we never see our stomach. We only feel it. We would feel it less if we took Shaker Digestive Cordial.

Shaker Digestive Cordial makes your stomach digest all the nourishing food you eat, relieves all the symptoms of indigestion, acts as a tonic and soon makes you well and strong again.

The more you take the less you will feel of your stomach. At druggists. Trial bottle 10 cents.

The new Rebekah Lodge of Oddfellows will be instituted at Vanceburg next Saturday by G. P. Byron Rudy, assisted by members from the Lodge in this city.

HELPING THE SICK.

The Entertainment at Washington Opera House.

TO WHOM THE HONOR IS DUE.

A goodly audience gathered at the Opera-house last evening for the double purpose of witnessing a pleasing entertainment and of contributing each his or her mite toward relieving the necessities of the poor who are sick.

The credit of the entertainment is largely due to Mrs. Ella Parker, who has for several weeks made the preparations a labor of love.

The program was as follows:

Tableau—Jacob's Ladder
Song—"Buttercup," Thelma McDaniel
Song—"Pretty Persimmon," Thelma McDaniel
Elizabeth Clinkenbeard
Skirt Dance—Thelma McDaniel
Song and Dance—Thelma McDaniel
Spanish Dance—Elizabeth Clinkenbeard
Tableau—Old Woman in the Shoe Music.

Assembly of Nations in Fancy Costume. England, France, Spain, Germany, Ireland, America, 1776.
Battle of Bunker Hill.
Young America to Oats.
Yankee Doodle, by Drum Corps.
Grand March of Americans.
Salute of Nations to Columbia.
Fancy Military Drill by Drum Corps.
Fancy Evolutions by the Entire Company.
Tableau.

The gross receipts were in the neighborhood of \$80.

All who patronized the entertainment will have the consciousness of knowing that they were aiding a most worthy cause.

HANDSOME ESTATE.

Will of the Late E. E. Pearce of Fleming.

HOW HIS PROPERTY IS LEFT.

The will of the late Edwin E. Pearce has been admitted to record at Flemingsburg.

In the will Thomas S. Andrews, W. S. Irvin, C. C. Pearce and E. E. Pearce, Jr., are appointed Executors without bond; but when the will was offered G. A. Cassidy and W. A. Sudduth, representing the commonwealth through Carroll Power, lately Auditor's Agent, demanded of Court a good and sufficient bond from the Executors, claiming nearly \$60,000 was due the state as back taxes.

To his wife, Mrs. Mollie Pearce, he leaves 300 acres of land, probably worth \$20 per acre, in Fleming county, with a clear title, and \$35,000 in money or good notes, the household furniture, etc.

To Dennis Madden, a colored employee, \$1,000 in money.

To his son, C. C. Pearce, land in Illinois valued at \$44,000, which cannot be sold by him except for the purpose of reinvestment. The purchaser of any such land shall be responsible for the reinvestment in other real estate, and on C. C. Pearce's death it goes to his children, or if he has none, then it comes back to the rightful heirs of E. E. Pearce.

To his son, Jno. Pearce, for whom a trustee shall be appointed by the Court, he wills land in Illinois valued at \$37,050, on the same conditions as above stated.

To his son, E. E. Pearce, Jr., land in Illinois and land in Fleming county known as the Fitch farm, valued at \$33,900, on same conditions as above stated.

To his daughter, Anna E. Pearce, he leaves land in Illinois worth \$43,400, on conditions as stated heretofore with his sons.

The remainder of his estate will be divided as near equally as possible among his children, and the wife is given the use of the homestead so long as any of his children live with her.

The compensation to be allowed the Executors is \$1,000 each, and should they desire legal advice as much as \$500 shall be allowed for such purpose.

W. G. Dearing is appointed as attorney. Judge Booe decided that a bond should be given by the Executors, and he has given them one week to prepare same.

Harvey Abrams and Mrs. Ida Spriggs of Kentucky were granted marriage license at Ironton a few days ago. The bride was only 16; but it was her second voyage upon the matrimonial sea, having been divorced from her first husband.

Assignee's Notice.

All persons having claims against the estate of W. Gunn will present the same, properly proven to me at the business house of W. Gunn, Market street, Maysville, Ky., and all persons indebted to said estate will call and settle the same with me and save further trouble.

W. R. ZACH, Assignee.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Those Who Have Missives in the Maysville Postoffice.

Below is a list of letters remaining un-called for at the Maysville Postoffice for the week ending March 24th, 1896:
Curtis, Miss Jennie Luby, Miss Emma Davis, Miss Addie Macintosh, G. S. Glascock, J. H. Stewart, J. M. Harney, H. L. Vone, Mrs. Mattie Johnson, Thomas R. Wallace, J. H. One cent due on each of above.

Persons calling for these letters will please say that they are advertised.

THOS. J. CHENOWETH, Postmaster.

PUSHING AHEAD.

The Y. M. C. A. Finance Committee Greatly Encouraged.

The Finance Committee, appointed by the business men's conference on Sunday afternoon to solicit subscriptions for the Young Men's Christian Association, are actively at work and have met with a very gratifying response.

Including three \$100 subscriptions, \$350 has been secured towards the \$2,000 needed.

The committee added the names of Messrs. William H. Cox and R. A. Cochran to their number, and elected Mr. Cox Chairman.

We hope that within a very short time the amount needed for the establishment of the Association in this city will be provided by our citizens.

THE RIGHT RING.

The Presidential Candidate Must Be For Sound Money.

Commercial Gazette.

ST. HELENS, KY., March 20th.

I have been reading The Semi-weekly Gazette for some time, and have noticed your articles bearing on "second choice" for President; also have noticed some articles on "Favorite Sons" of certain states.

I believe you take the position that all "favorite sons" supported by single state delegations are simply intent on defeating Ohio's idol. I think you are mistaken.

Kentucky will unanimously indorse (without second choice) Hon. W. O. Bradley, and I don't think his candidacy is being pushed to injure McKinley, either. It is to be pre-eminently a campaign of principles—not men.

McKinley stands for Protection. Bradley for Sound Money. Which is the more important? I think the delegations from many—a majority of the states—will favor indorsing a man who stands with both feet on this currency platform. "We are opposed to the free and unlimited coinage of silver."

Does McKinley dare to do so? Bradley does. I admire McKinley very much, but if he cannot and does not come out firmly and publicly for "Sound Money and Protection" he is not entitled to the Republican nomination.

Let's have the battlecry of Sound Money and Protection heralded from the hilltops by candidates whose records show their position on these vital questions.

J. PHAYSE THOMAS

Not to Be Trifled With.

Will people never learn that a "cold" is an accident to be dreaded, and that when it occurs treatment should be promptly applied? There is no knowing where the trouble will end; and while complete recovery is the rule, the exceptions are terribly frequent, and thousands upon thousands of fatal illnesses occur every year ushered in by a little injudicious exposure and seemingly trifling symptoms. Beyond this, there are today countless invalids who can trace their complaints to "colds," which at the time of occurrence gave no concern, and were therefore neglected. When troubled with a cold use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is prompt and effectual. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by J. James Wood, Druggist.

The Regina Music Box!



Not a reed instrument, but rendering on a steel comb the most exquisite music with a brilliance and richness of tone peculiar to itself and never found in any other box. These boxes run from 10 to 25 minutes with one winding. Price from \$12 to \$100.

J. BALLENGER, Maysville, Ky.

CHEAP LIVING.

Twelve Cents a Day Affords Three Good Square Meals.

New York World.

"What is the least sum a fellow can live comfortably on per day?"

This was recently the subject of debate by our young bachelors. They are all clerks with salaries averaging from \$10 to \$15 a week.

One of them, who has a position in a famous drug house, suggested that a quarter of a dollar would be sufficient. Another maintained that a man would starve on less than half a dollar. Finally the practical man in the party proposed that they club together and make the experiment.

"Done," said the others.

Then came the question of the selection of a cook. The choice fell on a young colored man named "Billy." This son of the South had served in the Navy, and knew some "wrinkles" in regard to the culinary art. So the discussion which began as a joke was crystallized into practical experiment.

After due consideration it was decided to form themselves into the "Five Jolly Bachelors Down-on-Your-Luck Club." They concluded it would not do to spend more than twelve cents per day each for meals. This would be the munificent sum of 84 cents per week each.

They fixed the initiation fee at 25 cents each. This netted \$1 25, which they voted to use for an oil stove and the necessary utensils. Then the operations began.

"We started in September last," said a member of the club, "and after the experiment ceased to be a joke we kept right on until we have practically demonstrated that it is possible for five people to live on 12 cents a day each and have health and happiness."

"The only medicine we have taken, although right in the line, is a daily dose of jokes and laughter over our 'bill of fare.' We have an 'elegant sufficiency,' though not all the delicacies of the season. Our breakfast and supper consist of coffee and rolls, and all that goes with them." The following is the dinner bill of fare for the week:

Monday—Coffee and bread, liver and bacon.
Tuesday—Chops, French fried potatoes, bread and coffee.
Wednesday—Steak and potatoes, coffee and bread.

Thursday—Ham and eggs, bread and coffee (no potatoes).
Friday—Fish, potatoes, coffee and bread.

Saturday—Lamb chops, potatoes, bread and coffee.
Sunday—Roast beef, mashed potatoes, coffee and bread.

"This includes sugar, milk and butter. What we have is of the best quality and plenty of it. We consider that we fare better than we would in a \$6 a week boarding house."

The blue primrose is the latest horticultural freak.

A Bath couch fair advertises "living pictures" as an attraction.

So many birds and monkeys crowd the telegraph lines of Mexico at night that copper wires are used.

The members of the Degree Team of Friendship Lodge No. 43, D. of R., will please meet at the Hall Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 for practice.

The advertising columns of THE LEDGER speak for themselves. They show that people who know how to advertise know also WHERE to advertise.

The annual report of the Superintendent of the Detroit House of Correction, just issued, discloses the fact that during 1895 that institution earned \$35,000.

Mrs. L. V. Davis has returned from New York, and as usual she has all the correct styles in Millinery which she will display on Thursday and Friday, April 2d and 3d.

There is no reason why one should have a cough any length of time. All that is needed is a softness of the throat or to free the bronchial tubes from irritating mucus is Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It is a wonderful cough cure, and should be in every medicine chest.

Books are now open for subscription to stock in the Sixth Series of the People's Building Association, commencing May 2d, 1896. Call on Robert L. Baldwin, Secretary, John Duley, Treasurer, or any of the Directors.

Simon S. Hartman of Tunnelton, W. Va., has been subject to attacks of colic about once a year, and would have to call a doctor and then suffer for about twelve hours as much as some do when they die. He was taken recently just the same as at other times, and concluded to try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He says: "I took one dose of it and it gave me relief in five minutes. That is more than anything else has ever done for me." For sale by J. James Wood, Druggist.

More Overshoe Weather.

Keep your feet dry. Come in and get a pair of Overshoes.

J. HENRY PECOR.

The books of the Limestone Building Association are now open for subscription to the Fourteenth Series. Take stock in a good 6 1/2 per cent investment. This is an easy way to buy a home and stop paying rent. Call on H. C. Sharp, James E. Threlkeld or any of the Directors.

Ask to Be Fitted With Them!

You can get the best quality \$4 Ladies' Hand-turned Button Shoe, newest style, for \$3, at F. B. RANSON & CO.

Ask to Be Fitted With Them!

You can get a \$3 50 Flexible Sole, Needle Toe, Button Shoe for \$2 50, at F. B. RANSON & CO.

Ask to Be Fitted With Them!

You can get a \$2 50, Flexible Sole, Pointed Toe Button Shoe for \$2, at F. B. RANSON & CO.

Just to keep the ball rolling, we offer Men's \$5 Patent Leather Bals for \$3 50. We shall continue the Shoe Business in Maysville, and will give due notice of our Spring Opening. F. B. RANSON & CO.